ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

In an optical connector 1, a cord receiving hole portion 11c, where an optical fiber cord 90 can be inserted and received axially of the optical fiber cord, is formed in a housing 10. A mounting hole 13, through which a stopper 40 can be inserted into the portion 11c perpendicularly to an insertion direction of the cord 90, is formed in the housing. A positioning slit 42, having a width slightly smaller than the diameter of the cord 90, is formed in each plate-like portion 41. Ablade portion 43 with an angle 90° is formed at each open end of the slit 42. When the stopper 40 is inserted into the portion 11c through the hole 13, each portion 43 abuts against a covering portion 92, and penetrates into the portion 92 while forcing a cut portion of this portion 92 away in the stopper insertion direction.